



General Assembly

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**Committee Bill No. 5560**

LCO No. 2572

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Referred to Committee on Human Services

Introduced by:  
(HS)

**AN ACT CONCERNING AN EVALUATION OF THE MEDICAID PROGRAM.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) Not later than July 1, 2011, the  
2 Commissioner of Social Services shall contract with an independent  
3 organization for such organization to evaluate the Medicaid program.  
4 Not later than July 1, 2012, the organization shall report, in accordance  
5 with the provisions of section 11-4a of the general statutes, to the joint  
6 standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of  
7 matters relating to human services. Such report shall include, but not  
8 be limited to: (1) The organization's evaluation of the strengths and  
9 weaknesses of the Medicaid program; (2) a comparison between the  
10 state's Medicaid program and other states' Medicaid programs; and (3)  
11 recommendations for changes to the Medicaid program.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section
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**Statement of Purpose:**

To provide an objective evaluation of the Medicaid program and to provide data for use in policy making.

*[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]*

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